

# PROFESSIONAL SERVICES WORKSHOP

## Using Video for Reflective Practice



### Get Better Outcomes Faster with Teachscape

Teachscape's workshops are designed to help schools and districts get the most out of Teachscape tools and achieve improved outcomes quickly. Using the video capture and sharing tools in Teachscape *Learn*, this workshop develops the skills of instructional leaders and coaches to use the Teachscape *Learn* video tools to guide teachers in more effectively analyzing and reflecting on teaching practice.

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### Workshop Description

This one-day workshop provides a structure for teachers to effectively engage in and collaborate on reflective practice using the video tools in the Teachscape *Learn* professional learning system. The workshop includes an implementation planning session to guide school and district leaders and instructional coaches in establishing a program for reflective practice using Teachscape *Learn*.

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### Learning Targets

- Review four structures for engaging teachers in reflective practice with video
- Develop an implementation plan appropriate to participants' own learning environments and built on the foundation of a continuous improvement process

### Target Audience

- District leaders
- School leaders (including coaches and teacher leaders)

### Workshop Outcomes

Participants will:

- Determine the ideal approach for reflective practice using video
- Develop an implementation plan based on that approach

### Format

- **Option 1:** One full day face-to-face session for a cohort of up to 25 participants
- **Option 2:** Two-hour webinars, two sessions, for up to 50 participants

### Prerequisites

- Participants must have the Teachscape *Learn* professional learning system and know how to capture and upload video using the tools

## Services Approach

In the first half of the workshop, the service provider gives an overview of four structures for using video for reflective practice. Each structure includes explanations of how to help teachers:

- Reflect through a lens
- Model, reflect, and revise
- Learn, implement, reflect, and revise

**Individual reflective practice:** Participants learn ways to guide teachers in using video on their own to view and reflect on their own teaching.

**Reflective practice with a partner:** Participants learn how teachers can engage in reflective practice with a partner—whether a coach or a peer—and collaborate in a lower-pressure environment.

**Reflective practice with small groups and teams:** Participants discover methods to empower groups or teams of teachers to use lesson study by video to develop, implement, reflect, and revise teaching practices.

**School-wide reflective practice:** Participants study how to implement a program for school-wide reflective practice using Teachscape *Learn* video capture and sharing tools. They also learn about creating school-based video libraries of best practices in the Teachscape *Learn* video channels.

In the second half of the workshop, the Teachscape service provider works with the group to:

- Determine the structure most appropriate for participants to use in implementing a program of reflective practice with video into the local culture and learning environments
- Develop an implementation plan for the chosen structure that is built on the foundation of a continuous improvement approach

## Professional Services Providers

### Broad Experience. Deep Expertise.

- **School Improvement Consultants** are experienced educational leaders and turnaround specialists who have successfully turned around struggling schools while helping to ensure sustainability.
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